

Amendment to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. - 5. (canceled)

6. (new) A system for cooperating a general killer application executing a plan management process and having a predetermined specification with multiple business applications, comprising:

a task template including a business process model and a data model, the business process model defining a task group and a task execution procedure necessary for the killer application, the data model defining data input/output information of the killer application;

a task execution management unit which indicates a task to be executed according to the business process model in the task template;

a task start instruction unit which sends an execution start signal to a business application or the killer application for executing the task in response to the indication from the task execution management unit;

a task completion detection unit which detects a signal indicating that the business applications or the killer application has completed the task;

a task result obtaining unit which obtains information indicative of an executed result of the task, converts the information according to an information conversion rule and delivers the information to the killer application, the information conversion rule defining relations between the data model relating to the killer application and data models relating to the business applications; and

a plan information notification unit which informs the business applications of the processed result from the killer application while converting the result according to the information conversion rule.

7. (new) A method of cooperating a killer application executing a plan management process and having predetermined specification with multiple business applications on a computer, comprising the steps of:

a) preparing a task template including a business process model and a data model on a memory, the business process model defining a task group and a task execution procedure necessary for the killer application, the data model defining data input/output information of the killer application;

b) preparing an information conversion rule defining relations between the data model relating to the killer application and data models relating to the business applications on the memory;

c) determining the task to be executed according to the business process model in the task template;

d) sending an execution start signal to the business application or the killer application corresponding to the task determined in step c);

e) detecting a signal indicating that the business applications or the killer application has completed the task; and

f) repeating steps c) to e) until reaching an end of the business process model,

wherein data necessary for executing the task and data output from the task are converted according to the information conversion rule.